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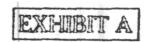
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AGENDA TITLE: Communication MEETING DATE: Hay 6, 1992 PREPARED BY: City Clerk	ons (April 7, 1992 through April 28, 1992)
RECOMMENDED ACTION:	
AGENDA ITEM	RECOMMENDATION
	Information only.
BACKGROUND INFORMATION:	The following communication was received between the dates of April 7, 1092 and Apri? 28, 1992.
Rates received from Paci A-92-04-001 on April 1, 19 requesting to increase it	A, is a Notice of Filing for Increased Electric and Gas fic Gas and Electric Company. PS&E filed Application 92 with the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC), s electric rates by \$190.6 million, and its gas rates by these rate changes would be effective on January 1, 1993.

City Clerk

THOMAS A. PETERSON

City Manager



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92 APR 13 AM 10: 20 NOTICE OF FILING POR INCREASED ELECTRIC AND GAS RATES

Pacific Cam and, Thermic Company (PG&E) filed an Application (A.92-04-001) of April 1, 1992, with the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC), requesting to increase its electric rates by \$190.6 million, and its gaa rates by \$3.3 million. If approved, these rate changes would be effective on January 1, 1993.

SURBALY

PG&E has requested an increase in electric rates to cover PG&E's estimated costs of energy production and purchased-power. The request also includes increases in gas and electric rates for costs associated with Customer Energy Efficiency (CEE) programs.

Estimated Electric and Gas Rate Increases

Based on the rates in effect April 1, 1992, PGCE estimates thm electric rate increases shown below for each customer class:

Clams or Service	Revenue Increase (\$000)	Percent Increase or Decrease From April 1, 1992 Effective Rates	
Residential Light and Power:	\$ 92,247		
Small	<\$ -5,802>	<-0.5%>	
Medium	\$ 12,173	1.42	
E-19	\$ 57,072	5.6%	
E-20	\$ 14,420	1.22	
Agricultural	\$ 21,161	5.5%	
Streetlighting	< <u>\$ -669></u>	< <u>-1.5</u> *>	
Total System:	\$190,602	2.6%	

Based on rates in effect April 1, 1992, PG&E estimates the gas rate increases shown below for each customer class:

Class of Service Residential	Revenue Increase (\$000)		Percent Increase From April 1, 1992 Effective Rates
		656	0.132
Small commercial	Ş	814	0.17
Large Commercial	\$	120	0.15%
Industrial-P2B Commercial	\$	357	0.192
Transport Utility Electric	\$	3	0.272
Generation	\$	207	0.152
Cogeneration	\$ \$	88	0.172
Wholesale	\$	19	0.15%
Total system	S 3.	265	0.10%

What Our Request Will Mean to Residential Customers

If the CPUC approves this request, a residential customer who uses 500 kilowatt hours of electricity monthly will sea an increase of approximataly \$1.59, from \$59.59 to \$61.18 per month during the winter season (November through April). During the same period, customers who use 100 therms of gas monthly will see an increase of approximately \$.08, from \$61.50 to \$61.58 per month.

Hearings

Sefore acting on the Application, the CPUC will hold public hearings beginning in June of 1992. At these haarings, tha CPUC will receive the testimony of PGLE, the CPUC's independent Division of Ratepayer Advocates, as well as interested parties.

Parties at these hearings M y offer proposals to the CPUC which differ from those of PG&E. After considering these various proposals, the CPUC will issue a decision.

If you need advice on how to participate in these hearings or with to make comments to the CPUC please write to:

The Public Advisor California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94104

Your letter will be sent to the commissioners and become part of the formal tile for A.92-04-001. If you have a question or need further information, please indicate you would like a

response. otherwise no reply will be sent. A copy of the Division of Ratepayer Advocates rate proposal will be available in June upon request.

?or More Information

Further information may be obtained by writing to:

Pacific Gas and Electric Company 77 Beale Street, Room 3022 San Francisco, CA 94106

More information is also available at our Division Offices in Fresno, Oakland, Sacramento, San Francisco, San Jose, and Santa Rosa. A copy of our Application may be reviewed at these locations, as well as the San Francisco office of the California Public Utilities Commission.

Este aviso describe la solicitud de PG&E al CPUC pare un aumento en las tarifas de electricidad y de gas natural. Para informacion en Espanol sobre esta propuesta por favor escriba a Pacific Gas and Electric Company, 77 Beale Street. Room 3022, San Francisco, CA 94106.